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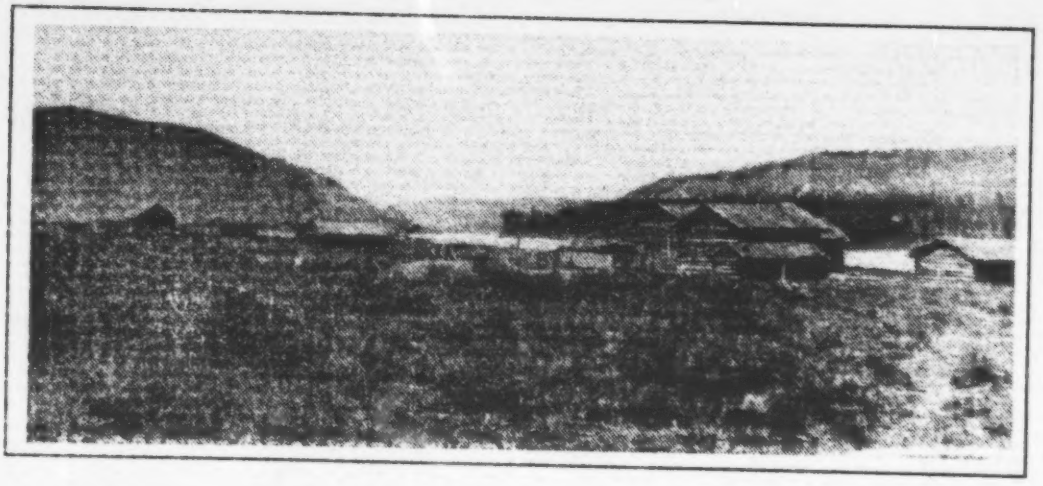

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- a listing of sources for
Fort Selkirk and the Yukon Field
Force found in Yukon Archives &
elsewhere

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Cover Photo: Fort Selkirk in 1894. Arthur Harper's trading post in foreground and Anglican Mission buildings at far right.

Photographer: Veasey Wilson
from Glimpses of Alaska, Klondike and Goldfields by V. Wilson, 1895

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## Introduction

For the past six years, the Heritage Branch of the Yukon Government and the Selkirk Indian Band of Pelly Crossing have been engaged in preserving the abandoned settlement of Fort Selkirk, located at the confluence of the Yukon and Pelly Rivers. Approximately forty buildings dating from as early as 1892 are still standing at the historic townsite. To date government and band efforts have been directed at preventing further deterioration of the structures and preserving the site for the enjoyment and education of Yukoners and visitors.

The community is one of the Yukon's most significant historic sites as it represents all major eras of Yukon history. During the precontact period, the area was used for camping and trading by local natives and Chilkat Indians from the Alaskan coast. One of the first encounters between the indigenous population and the first European explorer/traders occurred here when Robert Campbell of the Hudson's Bay Company established his ill-fated trading post in the 1840s. Nearly forty years later, Arthur Harper set up another trading post and he was soon followed by Anglican missionary Reverend T. H. Canham, who established a mission nearby. The small post boomed to a busy settlement during the hectic days of the Klondike gold rush and Selkirk was even briefly considered as a capital for the newly-formed Yukon Territory. Selkirk was one of the few river communities to survive after the gold rush ended. In the quieter and more stable time that characterized the next fifty years, the town served as a distribution centre with an economy based on woodcutting and the fur trade. With the exception of one family, the settlement was abandoned by the early fifties when most residents moved upriver to Minto to work on the new highway to Mayo. When the section to Dawson was completed in 1955, sternwheeler traffic ceased and most of the small river communities died out.

Over the years, research of a varied nature has been done on Fort Selkirk. Legal research has traced formal sales and transfers of property and buildings since the townsite was surveyed in 1898. Archaeological studies have documented the early presence of native peoples in the area and, in the townsite, mapped the remains of the many structures that were moved, dismantled or simply collapsed over the years. Oral history projects have been conducted with former residents at Fort Selkirk to identify features and increase the knowledge of their daily lives in the twenties, thirties and forties. Extensive archival material has been reviewed to assist in the preservation program and assemble information for future interpretation of the site. As well, over the last two years, the Selkirk Indian Band has been conducting Cultural Resource Studies involving in-depth interviews with Band Elders to learn more about the history of the Selkirk Band. While much research has been done, there is still much to be learned, particularly in the areas of oral history and archaeology.

This bibliography contains a listing of most of the sources I have referred to in my research over the past four years. The bulk of this material is available at Yukon Archives, Whitehorse. Included at the end of the bibliography is a list of other institutions that have provided information on Fort Selkirk.

In closing, I would like to thank the many staff members at Yukon Archives who, over the years, have assisted my work with their unfailing helpfulness and good humour.

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Anglican Church, Diocese of Yukon
- see attached excerpts from the finding aid

## Anglican Church Records - Diocese of Yukon

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I. Diocesan Records
   1. Correspondence files

I.1.a. Clergy & Layworkers, 1888-1974

Box 1, file 20 - Brett, Rev. C.C., 1914-1917
- includes parish reports for Fort Selkirk

Box 2, file 13 - Chappell, Rev. L.G., 1942-50
- includes correspondence between Chappell & gov't officials re sale of Fort Selkirk property to D.I.A.

Box 3, file 8 - Eakins, C.G., 1922-24
- correspondence between Bishop Stringer & Eakins re parish affairs at Carmacks & Selkirk

Box 3, f. 12 - Field, Rev. A.C., 1914-26
- corres. between Field and Stringer re parish affairs (Fort Selkirk, Forty Mile, Carcross)

Box 4, f. 4 - Fred Hickling, 1919
- letter from Bishop Stringer to Hickling

Box 4, F. 9 - Hughes, Rev. Owen W. R., 1931 - 1936
- contains account of the dedication of the new church at Selkirk

Box 5, f. 25 - Parsons, Rev. A.R., 1932-34
- corres. between Bishop Sovereign & Parsons re affairs at Fort Selkirk with reference to Indian Day School

Box 6, file 23 - Tannar, Rev. W., 1951-53
- Between Archbishop Adams, Bishop Greenwood, Rev. Tannar & others re general operation of Fort Selkirk & Whitehorse parishes

Box 6, file 37 - Valentine, Rev. W., 1933-36
- Between Bishop Geddes & Rev. W. Valentine re general operations of Fort Selkirk parish

Box 7, f. 2 - Ward, Rev. R.C.W., 1946-47
- includes biographical information on Ward

Box 7, f. 17 - Wood, James, 1916
- correspondence between Bishop Stringer & Wood re lay catechist work in Selkirk, community affairs & personal matters

Box 7, file 19 - Young, Wm Dobbs, 1915 - 1930
- corres. between Young, Stringer & various others re lay catechist work in various communities including Selkirk

I.1.b. Communities, 1900-1963
(see photocopied excerpts)

Box 8, f. 12
Fort Selkirk 1906-1935
Correspondence between Bishop and Mrs. Stringer and Bishop Sovereign and R.P. Hall, the Rev. J. Hawksley, Kathleen Martin Cowaret, parishoners, government officials and others regarding general operation of Fort Selkirk Mission, use of buildings, schooling, sawing wood, lay reader, Johnathan Wood, prohibition, personal matters and community affairs (including an epidemic). Also included are: a financial record sheet, receipts, quarterly report, "Northern Lights" article, list of contributors to the Patriotic Fund, census lists, leases of government land, plans of church and mission house and a map of church property (now stored with maps, see map H-1144).

Box 8, file 13
Fort Selkirk 1936-1941
Correspondence between Bishop Geddes, A. Coldrick and H. Ritchie and The Rev. W. Valentine, the Rev. R.C.W. Ward, the Rev. L.G. Chappell, the Rev. J. Wardlow and others, regarding general and financial operation of Fort Selkirk Mission, land lease, community affairs and personal matters. Also included are monthly and quarterly statistical and financial reports.

Box 9, file 1
Fort Selkirk 1942-1953
Correspondence between Bishop Geddes, Archbishop Adams, Bishop Green wood, H. Ritchie, and J.C.B. Williamson and the Rev. W.R. Stringer, the Rev. N. Tanner, Cannon L.G. Chapell, Kathleen Martin Cowaret, government officals and others, regarding general and financial operations of Fort Selkirk Mission, land purchase, move of mission to Minto, land lease, community affairs, and personal matters. Also included are monthly summer reports, annual statistical reports, newspaper article regarding Roman Catholic move to Minto, hand-drawn map of Block D, Selkirk and a plan for the proposed Fort Selkirk church (stored with maps, see map H-1162)
For further records of St. Andrew's Mission see "Minto".

Box 9, file 9
Minto 1935-1960
Correspondence between Bishop Greenwood, Morris Dean and J.C.B. Williamson and Kathleen Martin Cowaret and others, regarding general and financial operations of Minto Parish building purchase, move from Fort Selkirk, memorial to Mrs. Cowaret, community affairs, and personal matters. Also included are quarterly reports of services and finances.

I.1.c. Subjects, 1896-1973

Box 12, f. 12 - Confirmations
- includes a few records of confirmation at Selkirk

Box 13, f. 16 - Indian Affairs, 1908-10

Box 13, f. 17 - Indian Affairs, 1916-1943
- correspondence re staff, funding, supplies at day schools including Selkirk

Box 14, file 1 - Indian Band Lists, 1949 & 1952
- names of Indians registered with various bands including Selkirk

Box 14, f. 2 - Indian Band Lists, 1949, 1954-61
- includes Indian census

Box 14, f. 14 - Inventories, 1929-1936
- includes inventory of Mission House at Selkirk

Box 15, file 14 - CMS in Canada, 1950-53
- assorted correspondence including with Kathleen Martin Cowaret & Fort Selkirk Mission

Box 15, file 15 - Missions, 1948-1953
- correspondence including financial affairs of various communities including Fort Selkirk

Box 15, f. 16 - Missions, 1951
- incl. correspondence financial & general affairs Fort Selkirk

Box 15, file 17 - Middiond, 1952-55
- includes Fort Selkirk reports & correspondence

Box 16, f. 10 - Property, 1902-1910, 1930, 1947-59, 1961
- correspondence re church lands and patents thereof
- includes lists of properties, Mission Island cert. of title

Box 17, f. 6 - Selkirk Children Reports, 1938-1941
- letters to prayer partners for native children of Fort Selkirk regarding specific children & community affairs

Box 17, f. 6 - Society for promoting Christian Knowledge, 1911-1924, 1951
- includes correspondence re grants for church buildings

Box 17, f. 12 - Statistical Reports, 1916-24
- annual statistical & financial reports for various parishes & for the diocese as a whole

Box 17, f. 13 - Statistical Reports, 1925-1931
- as above

Box 18, files 1-6 - Statistical Reports, 1932-1960

Box 18, f. 15 - Women's Auxilary, Dominion, 1911-28
- includes list of Yukon clergy & church workers and their prayer partners

II.2. The Parish of Carmacks, (including Selkirk)

II.2.a Statistics

Box 28, file 1 - Register of Services, 1919-1953
- Register for St. Andrew's, Fort Selkirk; included are records of baptisms & burials (Restricted)

Box 28, f. 6 - Register of baptisms, confirmations, marriages & burials, 1927-1960 R

Register of Baptisms & Confirmations, 1943-1981
This register is for Fort Selkirk (Restricted) Oversized, see box 55, f.3

Box 55, f. 3 OS-Register of Baptisms, Marriages & Deaths Fort Selkirk: Baptisms (1920-1944) Restricted

Box 28, f. 13 - Consent for marriage, n.d.
- for Wm. Copper Peter, Fort Selkirk R

Box 28, file 14 - Statisical Reports, 1947-1957

III.5.a. Minutes & Reports

Box 50, f. 1 - Diocesan W.A. Annual Reports, 1906-1923
- includes annual reports of the Selkirk Diocesan Branch of the Women's Auxiliary to the Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada. 1906. 1906. 1910-1916

Box 50, f. 2 - Diocesan W.A. Reports, 1925-1941
- more annual reports and letters to Miss Martin and Mrs. McMartin, also to Mr. Hickling

IV. Reference Files, 1898-1976

IV.1. Personnel

Box 51, f.2 Canham (contains profile Mrs. Canham)

Box 51, f. 5 Cowaret, Kathleen Martin

IV. 2 Communities

Box 52, file 2 - Carmacks, Minto, Pelly & Fort Selkirk

## Films - Fort Selkirk

82/540 Cameron, Gordon I.
- 8 home movies taken by Gordon I. Cameron depicting scenes at Fort Selkirk and activities around the territory, 1939-1962. A description is available for each film.
Location: Films 16-64 to 16-71.
Videos #48 and 50.

81/13 Cowaret, Mrs. Kathleen Martin
- colour and B & W film taken by Mrs. Cowaret, 16 mm. Total footage 1670 feet (about 1½ hours viewing time). Less than wonderful quality and a bewildering range of places and subjects, but some good shots of life at Fort Selkirk. Shot list is available. 3 films on one reel. Video #51.

89/98 Snider, Irving E.
- ca. 1939 to early 1940s. Film #5 shows a few scenes of Fort Selkirk: the Hudson's Bay post and a native elder. Film 16-5, Video # V-45.

82/528 Ward, Rev. Robert
- Six 16 mm movie films taken by Robert Ward from 1941-1959 depicting Alaska Highway & Canol Scenes, and people and places in Yukon communities. Film #1, ca. 1946 - near the end are some good views of Fort Selkirk from downriver side of Anglican mission compound. Video #44.

87/66 Wake, Jim H.
- an RCMP constable stationed in the Yukon during the 1940s.
- Film #1 is of a trip from Whitehorse to Dawson City by steamboat in September 1943 and includes an excellent panorama of Selkirk.

Film #1, Video # V-97-2.

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Department of the Interior. Annual Reports. 1897-1906.

Department of Indian Affairs & Northern Development. Note on the Yukon Field Force. Document #2108, 1950.

YA Search File

Department of Militia & Defense, PAC. RG 9, II B 70. Yukon Miscellaneous Papers, 1898 - 1902.

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YA 917.1 GSC.

Ogilvie, William. Dept. of the Interior Annual Report, 1889. Pt. VIII, Report of William Ogilvie, DLS.

Parliament. Annual Reports of the Commissioner of the North-West (and Royal North-West) Mounted Police. Ottawa, 1896 - 1916.

R.C.M.P. - Yukon Records. RG 18, Series D, vol. 13, Police Reserves, 1900-1903. Location: M.G. 18, Series D, Roll 12.

YA microfilm

R.C.M.P. - Yukon Records. RG 18, Vol. 214, file 463, 1901. Yukon Field Force. Detailed report of Lt. Col. Evans, dated 1st Nov. 1898 describing YFF trip to Teslin with a sketch of the trail from Telegraph Creek to Teslin & plans of barracks erected at Selkirk.

YUKON GOVERNMENT RECORDS

Central Registry Files - YRG I: Fort Selkirk & area

Series I

vol. 1, f. 102 a,b - Roman Catholic Church Site at Selkirk, 1898-1942.

vol. 4, f. 173 - Mr. Jos. Ladue, application for land at Fort Selkirk, 1896-1898.

vol. 4, f. 262 - Scroggie - Pelly Rd., 1912-1919.

vol. 5, f. 280 a,b,c,d - Roads, generally, 1900-1926.

vol. 7, f. 890 - Post Office affairs in Yukon.

vol. 7, f. 956 - A. Harper, townsite of Fort Selkirk, 1896-1942.

vol. 9, f. 1491A - Indian Affairs and Schools, 1927-33.

vol. 11, f. 2359A - Inspection Selkirk District, Crown Land & Timber Office, 1900-1904.

vol. 14, f. 2907 - C. D. Emmons - Land at Selkirk, 1901-1914.

vol. 14, f. 2967 - Land at Selkirk for C of E Church

vol. 17, f. 4355 - Liquor Permits, 1898-1901.

vol. 19, f. 4704 - lots at Selkirk, W. Blaker, 1899-1900.

vol. 20, f. 4705 - C of E church site at Selkirk, 1898-1944.

vol. 20, f. 4775 - Bishop Bompas: Land at Forty mile, Selkirk, and Rampart House, 1894-1932.

vol. 21, f. 6132 - Newell, A.B. for 2 acres on right limit of Pelly River at point of crossing of new gov't road, 1902.

vol. 22, f. 6229 - Timber lot to T. Whelan to Pelly Crossing, 1902.

vol. 23, f. 6562 - 2 acres at Selkirk, 1903, G. G. Steele.

vol. 24, f. 7574 - Emmons, Helen H. Applications for 24 acres near Fort Selkirk, 1902.

vol. 25, f. 8460 - Bishop Bompas, land at Caribou Crossing, 1901-1909.

vol. 26, f. 8886 - Town lots at Ft. Selkirk, W.A.C. Baldwin, 1899.

vol. 27, f. 9816 - A. Klimesch, liquor license at Selkirk, 1904.

Series I (con't)

vol. 28, f. 10689 - lists of land grants for mission in Dawson, Selkirk & Whitehorse, 1900.

vol. 32, f. 19334 - Gov't Telegraph site at Selkirk, 1906-1937.

vol. 34, f. 22052 - Diptheria outbreak at Selkirk & Moosehide, 1907-1908.

vol. 37, f. 25312 - J. MacMartin 160 acres on Lewes R. at mouth of Big Creek, 1909-37.

vol. 37, f. 26194 - Grenier, G.; Lease 25 acres 3 miles north of Pelly River, 1910-1911.

vol. 39, f. 27179 - Grenier, G.; Chapman, Frank & Oleson. 25 acres between 47 and 48 posts on government road, 1911-1924.

vol. 39, f. 26798 - R.N.W.M.P., temporary removal of detachment from Fort Selkirk, 1910.

vol. 40, f. 27418 - Coal mine Lease, 6 miles south of Selkirk - Grenier, 1911-14.

vol. 40, f. 27914 - C.E. Carpenter, 160 acres for roadhouse near Selkirk, 1912-1914.

vol. 41, f. 28459 - J. M. Horsfall, homestead applic. 5 miles below Selkirk, 1912-1922.

vol. 44, f. 29589 - Shaver, Alex. Application for homestead at Pelly River, 1914-1921.

vol. 44, f.29535 - Carpenter, Charles E. Application for homestead half mile below Fort Selkirk, 1914-1923.

vol. 45, f. 29706 - G. C. Krudop. 160 acres 5 miles below Selkirk, 1914-1916.

vol. 45, f. 29906 - Horsfall, J. 25 acres to lease 5 miles below Selkirk, 1915-1923.

vol. 47, f. 30453 - H. Woodburn, 160 acres 5 miles below Selkirk (photos), 1916-1925.

vol. 48, f. 30511 - Wilkinson, Charles H. Application to purchase 1 acre of land right limit, Yukon River, 1916-1932.

vol. 48, f. 30625 - Crosby, George Harvey - Application for homestead entry 15 miles up the Pelly River, 1917-32.

vol. 51 f. 31503 - Learman & Schofield: application to purchase lots 6 & 7, block C, townsite of Selkirk, 1920.

Series I (con't)

vol. 54, f. 33170 - Van Bibber, Ira & Shaver, Alex. Application to lease 20 acres of land right limit of Pelly River about 35 miles from mouth. 1921-1936.

vol. 55, f. 33609 - Beaton, Finley. Application for 20 acres land on right limit Lewes River 22 miles about Selkirk. 1922-1938.

vol. 58, f. 33909b - Aviation, airports. 1933-49.

vol. 60, f. 34817 - Hudson's Bay Co. Inquiries into possible posts, 1935-1939.

vol. 67, f. 5 - Influenza Epidemic, 1914-1919.

vol. 75 - Applications for Liquor Licences, 1898-1901.

Series 3

vol. 2, f. 12-4B - Correspondences between Terr. Sect'y and Wm. Scofield, 1922-23.
(Game Regulations & Permits, Oct. '20 - Dec. '23)

Series 4

vol. 1, f. 236 - Trading Post Permits

vol. 7, f. 206 - Roads: Selkirk to Selwyn, 1913

vol. 21, f. 371 - Selkirk School

Series 5

vol. 8, f. 583 - Diocese of the Yukon. Indian School, Carcross, Y.T. 1905-1955.

Series 8

vol. 2 - Time Sales Register, Townsites. 1898-1914.
- includes Gov't. Addition, Dawson City, Dawson Reserve Additions, Klondyke City Addition, Fort Selkirk, Stewart R. Townsite, Fort Cudahy Townsite and Mill Site.

vol. 40 - Permits, seizures, Etc. 1899-1905.

## Manuscripts & Associated Uncatalogued Photographs

86/61 Anglican Church, Diocese of Yukon
Box 1, folder 4 - Fort Selkirk
- cash book for St. Andrew's Mission, 1936-46
Part 2 - Photographs
McCullum Collection, 1925-1941
Old Log Church Photo Collection, 1897-1970s

81/80 Betts, Clayton
pt. 1 - YFF in Dawson, photos
pt. 2 - short history of YFF & Dawson Rifle Co.

78/1 Bradley Family Coll. pt. 1 - F-59. Jared Wilkinson's lesson book dated 4 Sept. 1930, Fort Selkirk, Y.T.

78/38 Canham, Thomas Henry Collection (Restricted)
- microfilm copies of material held at Anglican Church Archives, Toronto
- Archdeacon Canham was the first Anglican missionary at Fort Selkirk and his writings contain much useful information about the area Indians
- this is all handwritten on a negative print and quite difficult to read.

78/69 Coutts Collection (check finding aid)
Fort Selkirk - F-78, file 30
Yukon Field Force - F-78, files 31 & 34

82/220 Cruikshank, Julie (see file 1, Rachel Dawson Interview)

81/157 Dept. of Indian Affairs. School files (on microfilm).
Selkirk file - C8793

82/61 Edward Lester, 1898-1899
- member of Field Force, diary (F-119)

79/124 Garside, Nora
Part 1 - newspaper clipping re YFF (F-100)

87/37 Popp, Tim - 18 B & W prints of badges & insignia worn by military groups from the Yukon including those worn by the Yukon Field Force. (G-102)

82/16 Stringer, Isaac O. Papers
- 1888-1961 on seven microfilm reels
- these are copies of records held at the Anglican church of Canada, General Synod Archives
- series 1-A-5, the Stringer-Martin / Cowaret correspondence, is particularly useful

82/437 Tinck, John A.
pt. 2 - diary and various papers

82/1 Waddington, Maggie. Pt. 1 - Pelly R. scenes and photo of Horsfalls near Fort Selkirk.
pt. 2, folder 3 - mail contract for carrying mail from Pelly Post to Minto, 1938.

82/96 Campbell, Robert. Photocopy of explorer Robert Campbell's diary account of his forty years of service with the H. B. Co. entitled "From the Highlands to Fort Garry".
1870-1890. (F-6A)

## Catalogued Photo Collections with Fort Selkirk Scenes

| Collection Name | Catalogue Numbers | Inventory Bklet |
|---|---|---|
| Public Archives of Canada | 371 - 613 | 2 |
| British Columbia Archives | 946 - 1183 | 7 |
| University of Washington | 1184 - 1348 | 8 |
| A. Innes-Taylor Coll. | 1673 - 1832 | 12 |
| Vancouver Public Library | 1977 - 2290 | 15 |
| Glenbow-Alberta Institute | 2414 - 2427 | |
| Martha Louise Black | 3239 - 3546 | 25 |
| MacBride Museum Coll. | 3547 - 3847<br>3848 - 4142 | 26<br>27 |
| Barley Collection | 4977 - 5316 | 33B |
| John A. Phelps Coll. | 5717 - 5762 | 39 |
| Harbottle Family Coll. | 6056 - 6213 | 43 |
| Bill Roozeboom Coll. | 6275 - 6305 | 46 |
| McLennan Coll. | 6457 - 6526 | 50 |
| Claude B. Tidd Coll. | 7008 - 8555 | 54 |
| Cecil Swanson Coll. | 8556 - 8599 | 55 |
| May Menzies Coll. | 8600 - 8704 | 55 |
| Marcel Bobillier Coll. | 8705 - 8766 | 56 |
| Robert C.W. Ward Coll. | 8767 - 8865 | 57 |

## Uncatalogued Photograph Collections

81/9 Adney, Edward Tappan
- photo #137 of Harper's Post and #101 of Anglican Mission taken in 1897 (location: Q-38)

78/67 Anglican Church of Canada, General Synod Archives
Boxes H - 107 & H - 108, A few Selkirk scenes.

84/10 Bradley, Marjorie (G-5)
- photograph of George Grenier

77/44 Geddes, Wm. A. (1920-1943)
- a few views of Fort Selkirk

81/150 Leonard T. Hall papers - photos (H-166)

79/27 Harrington, Richard 1949-1974
Box G - 42, Fort Selkirk

82/25 Harrington, Richard 1949-1974
Loc.: H - 119

85/75 Hamacher, Edward J. G-53

82/565 Hudson's Bay Co. Archives (H-169)
- negatives only, 3 shots of store in '30s and 1 of YFF Bldg.

78/87 Karpes, Gus, 1898-1930
- 1 photo of T & D store (H-114)

78/80 Parks Canada (misc. photos)
- Yukon Field Force in Dawson

83/22 Thornthwaite Coll., part 1
- box H-234, Album 1, 1924-25. Photos of Fort Selkirk during 1925 flu epidemic.

82/391 Tom Tom, David - 2 group shots taken at Fort Selkirk ca. 1935.
Location: H-56

84/12 Tompkins, Edna Jane.
Part 2 (G-7, G-8). Photos including views of Yukon communities, Yukon R. scenery ('26, '27).
Photo of Armstrong Cabin in Dec. 1925.

82/15 Tyrell Collection
- box 3, Church at Selkirk, 1905 (location: H-72)

79/2 Van Bibber Family - photographs, location: H-116, H-117
Scenes of Pelly R. and Fort Selkirk

80/87 Webb, C.E. H - 152
Photo album with shot of Selkirk from river, 1916.

82/563 The Whitehorse Star, 1959-1972
pt. 2: Box H-203, Communities on Rivers

87/63 Sutherland, William location G-88
Photo #16 is a good view of Selkirk taken from downriver end of town in 1929.

87/64 Zimmerlee Family Coll. Location G-101
- includes several photos of Fort Selkirk and Russell Post.

## Maps - Fort Selkirk

H-1034 Fort Selkirk, n.d.
Plan of lots in group no. 4, YT
- from YRG I, series 1, vol. 31, f. 16536 (3/3)

H-959 Fort Selkirk, 1897
Group 4, plan showing lots 2, 3 & 4
- from YRG I, series 1, vol. 14, f. 2907

H-1114 Fort Selkirk, 20 June 1902
Plan of survey of subdivision Block A, being a part of lot III, in Group IV applied for by C. D. Emmons, 19.08 acres (Plan 9258)
- from YRG I, series 1, vol. 14, f. 2907

H-958 Fort Selkirk, 20 July 1908
- showing location of mission church & house at Fort Selkirk, also 1st Ave. and 4th St.
- from YRG I, series 1, vol.20, f. 4705 (2/2)

H-1154 Fort Selkirk, 1944
topo map of Selkirk area. Also shown are glacier formations and sand & gravel in river beds. Scale 1" = 8 mi.

F-35 Fort Selkirk, n.d.
Selkirk NWMP detachment (on the Pelly River)

H-158 Fort Selkirk, n.d.
Sketch plans of lots at Selkirk, YT

H-164 Fort Selkirk, 1900
Plan of subdivision of Block A, B, H, I, O, P, V, W of the townsite of Selkirk, YT (Plan 8891)
- C. W. MacPherson, DLS

H-664 Fort Selkirk, 1916 (1901)
"Plan of Lot 6, group 4, YT." A block selected for an Indian Reserve, (No. 7) near Selkirk, Yukon

H-701 Fort Selkirk - Buildings, 1898
Plan of proposed buildings for barracks at Fort Selkirk, from PAC

H-1162 Fort Selkirk - Anglican church plans, n.d.
- very hard to read blueprint, but with some readable information on the church plans

H-1144 Fort Selkirk 1908
- a hand drawn map showing the location of the mission church at Fort Selkirk

Fort Selkirk air photo, 1973, with scale of 1:3000.
Map Sheet 115I/11, roll A 12259, shots # 345 & 346.
Available from National Air Photo Library.

SURVEY PLANS FOR FORT SELKIRK AND SURROUNDING AREA

| Plan | Roll | Title | Surveyor | Date of Survey |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8358 | | Plan of lots 1-4, Group 4 | James Gibbon | June 1898 |
| 8717 | 73 | Plan of lots 1, 2 & 3; Grp 4 | James Gibbon | June 1898 |
| 8718 | 72 | Plan of lot 4, group 4 | James Gibbon | June 1898 |
| 8392 | 80 | Townsite of Selkirk | R.W. Cautley | Sept. 1898 |
| 9258 | 169 | Plan of subdivision Blk A, part of lot 3, group 4 | C.W. MacPherson | Aug. 1900 |
| 8891 | 110 | Plan of subdivision of Blks. A, B, H, I, O, P, V & W | C.W. MacPherson | Aug. 1900 |
| 8886 | 104 | Plan of lot 6, group 4 | C.W. MacPherson | Aug. 1900 |
| 9339 | 192 | Group lot 7, group 4 | C.W. MacPherson | Aug. 1902 |
| 9847 | 440 | Plan of subdivision Blk. B being part of lot 3, group 4 | C.W. MacPherson | July 1908 |
| 55073 | | Lot 23, group 4 | H.G. Dickson | Sept. 1937 |
| 69804 | | Townsite of Fort Selkirk, reposting of certain block corners & westerly boundary of lot 1, group 4 | Thomson & Iles | Sept. 1985 |

Note: The above plans are available at either the Land Titles Office in the Justice Building or from the Department of Energy, Mines & Resources located at 204 Range Road.

## Tape Recordings

81/32 Yukon River Aural History Project
- Series 51, cassettes 1-32, reel to reel 1-17
- Interviews conducts by Cal Waddington in 1978 with people who lived and worked along the Yukon River
- finding aid and index to topics compiled by H. Dobrowolsky in 1983, copy available at YA

Danny & Abby Roberts, Fort Selkirk
Series 43, tape 4 - interview with Danny & Abby Roberts at Fort Selkirk, April 1976, conducted by Bruce Batchelor
Series 43, tape 5 - interview with D. & A. Roberts April 1977, conducted by B. Batchelor & Janice Prenty

78/23 May Menzies Collection
pt. 3 - tape recordings of recollections of her time living on the Yukon R. including Fort Selkirk
- interviewed by B. Batchelor

Fort Selkirk Oral History Project - 1984
- on site interviews with former Selkirk residents Martha & G.I. Cameron, Father Bobillier, George Dawson & Danny Roberts
- organized by Heritage Branch, Government of Yukon
- both tapes and transcripts available

Elders Oral History Project - 1985
- on site interviews with Charlie Johnson, Edward Simon, Tommy McGinty & Harry Baum of Pelly Crossing
- conducted by Heritage Branch & Selkirk Band, 1985
- both tapes and transcripts available

## Anthropological & Archaeological Reports

This is a listing of selected archaeological and anthropological studies that have been commissioned by government or band agencies. The location of each report is noted immediately after the entry. In some cases access may be restricted.

Easton, N. A. & Gotthardt, R. 1987 Fort Selkirk Archaeology Project. Government of Yukon, Heritage Branch, November 1987.

Heritage Branch Library

Fedirchuk, McCullough & Associates Ltd. Archaeological Impact Assessment - Yukon River Historic Attractions Stabilization Program. Government of Yukon, Parks and Historic Resources Branch, 1981.

Heritage Branch Library

Gotthardt, Ruth M. The Selkirk Indian Band: Culture and Land Use Study. October 1987.

Selkirk Band Council
Pelly Crossing

Gotthardt, Ruth M. Study of Culture and Land Use for the Little Salmon Carmacks Band. 1986.

Yukon Archives

Ross, Brian. Archaeological Investigations at Big Jonathan's House, Fort Selkirk, Yukon. Government of Yukon, Heritage Branch, January 1987.

Heritage Branch Library

Settlement Surveys Ltd. Archaeological Survey & Assessment - Yukon River Historic Attractions. Government of Yukon, Parks and Historic Resources Branch, August 1980.

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National Air Photo Library
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